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FACTORS, AND METHODS OF USE THEREOF (AMENDED)

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In accordance with Rule 111 of the Rules of Practice please consider the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

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Page 1, line 6, after "Application" insert -- is a Continuation of copending U.S. Serial No. 08/948,547, filed October 10, 1997, which is a Division of copending U.S. Serial No. 08/212,185, filed March 11, 1994 which --; on line 8, replace "1994" with -- 1993, both now abandoned, --; on line 9, after "1992" insert --, now abandoned, --; and line 10, after "1992" insert --, now abandoned, --.

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On Page 5, line 27 after the open parenthesis "(" please insert -- i.e., the murine homologue of the human protein having an amino acid sequence of --.

On Page 7, line 10 replace "translation protein" with -- transcription factor --.